

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of the "Training Today Newsletter" is to provide assistance and support for TPAES users submitting PAE applications. We also use this notification to communicate upcoming LTSS initiatives and to describe how those may affect your daily practices. Please forward to staff in your company that complete or submit TennCare (Medicaid) PAEs/PASRRs. This contains vital information for all TPAES users.

### New TN Anytime Financial Redetermination Indicators

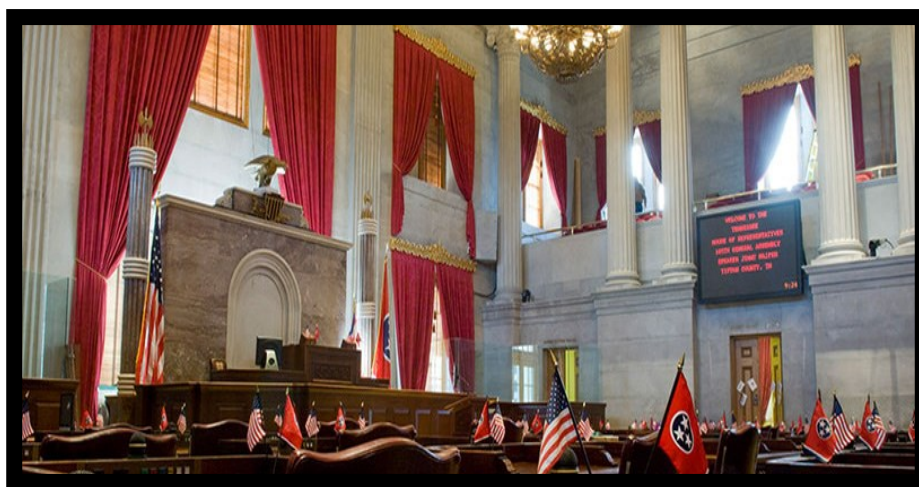
A new section heading titled "**Current Redetermination Status**" will be added to the TennCare Online Services webpage under the "**EVS**" (Eligibility Verification) menu option on Monday May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

- If a recipient is a part of the Redetermination process and that recipient has been mailed a renewal packet, then that information will be displayed in the **Current Redetermination Status** field as **Renewal Packet Sent**. The date on which the renewal packet was sent will be displayed in the **Date** field.

- If a recipient is a part of the Redetermination process and a renewal packet has been returned for the recipient, then that information will be displayed in the **Current Redetermination Status** field as **Received**. The date on which the recipient's information was received will be displayed in the **Date** field.
- If a recipient is not a part of the Redetermination process or a renewal packet has not been mailed for the recipient, then this section will appear blank.

### Shout Out!

The **Healthcare Center at Standifer Place AND Nashville Community Care & Rehabilitation Center at Bordeaux** have both done a great job of submitting accurate and complete PAEs. Keep up the good work!



### Facility Registration

In order to receive financial Redetermination information from LTSS, please register your facility if you haven't already done so. Please click here:

<https://stateofennessee.forms.tack.com/forms/ltss>

### Freedom of Choice Form

The Freedom of Choice form is used to document the applicant's decision regarding HCBS or institutional care. The applicant must sign this form to indicate the setting where they choose to receive care. If this form is completed by an entity other than the MCO it should be uploaded upon submission of the PAE and the supporting documentation.

If you have questions about this form please reach out to the LTSS Help Desk at 1-877-224-0219

### Redetermination Update

- In April, LTSS mailed out the latest batch of financial Redetermination packets for CHOICES Group 1 members with last names "Goodman through Lambert"
- In May, LTSS will mail out the next batch of financial Redetermination packets for CHOICES Group 1 members with last names "Lambert through Pless"
- To access financial Redetermination resources including a recorded webinar and the most recent FAQs visit the *Nursing Facility Redetermination* webpage here: <https://tn.gov/tenncare/article/ltss-redetermination>